

Cupola means a large, water-cooled metal vessel to which is charged a mixture of fuel, rock and/or slag, and additives. As the fuel is burned, the charged mixture is heated to a molten state for later processing to form mineral wool.

Curing oven means a chamber in which heat is used to thermoset a binder on the mineral wool fiber used to make bonded products.

Fabric filter means an air pollution control device used to capture particulate matter by filtering gas streams through fabric bags. It also is known as a baghouse.

Formaldehyde means, for the purposes of this subpart, emissions of formaldehyde that, in addition to being a HAP itself, serve as a surrogate for organic compounds included on the list of hazardous air pollutants in section 112 of the Act, including but not limited to phenol.

Hazardous air pollutant means any air pollutant listed in or pursuant to section 112(b) of the Act.

I means the owner or operator of a mineral wool production facility.

Incinerator means an enclosed air pollution control device that uses controlled flame combustion to convert combustible materials to noncombustible gases.

Melt means raw materials, excluding coke, that are charged into the cupola, heated to a molten state, and discharged to the fiber forming and collection process.

Melt rate means the mass of molten material discharged from a single cupola over a specified time period.

Mineral wool means a fibrous glassy substance made from natural rock (such as basalt), blast furnace slag or other slag, or a mixture of rock and slag. It may be used as a thermal or acoustical insulation material or in the making of other products to provide structural strength, sound absorbency, fire resistance, or other required properties.

New source means any affected source the construction or reconstruction of which is commenced after May 8, 1997.

PM means, for the purposes of this subpart, emissions of particulate matter that serve as a surrogate for metals (in particulate or volatile form) on the list of hazardous air pollutants in section 112 of the Act, including but not limited to: antimony, arsenic, beryllium, cadmium, chromium, lead, manganese, nickel, and selenium.

You means the owner or operator of a mineral wool production facility.

§§ 63.1197–63.1199 [Reserved]

TABLE 1 TO SUBPART DDD OF PART 63—APPLICABILITY OF GENERAL PROVISIONS (40 CFR PART 63, SUBPART A) TO SUBPART DDD OF PART 63

General provisions citation	Requirement	Applies to subpart DDD?	Explanation
63.1(a)(1)–(a)(4)	General Applicability	Yes.	[Reserved].
63.1(a)(5)		No	
63.1(a)(6)–(a)(8)		Yes.	
63.1(a)(9)		No	
63.1(a)(10)–(a)(14)		Yes.	
63.1(b)	Initial Applicability Determination .. Applicability After Standard Established.	Yes.	
63.1(c)(1)		Yes.	
63.1(c)(2)		Yes	Some plants may be area sources.
63.1(c)(3)		No	[Reserved].
63.1(c)(4)–(c)(5)		Yes.	[Reserved].
63.1(d)		No	
63.1(e)	Applicability of Permit Program	Yes.	Additional definitions in § 63.1196.
63.2	Definitions	Yes	
63.3	Units and Abbreviations	Yes.	
63.4(a)(1)–(a)(3)	Prohibited Activities	Yes.	
63.4(a)(4)		No	[Reserved].
63.4(a)(5)		Yes.	
63.4(b)–(c)	Circumvention/Severability	Yes.	
63.5(a)	Construction/Reconstruction Applicability.	Yes.	
63.5(b)(1)	Existing, New, Reconstructed Sources Requirements.	Yes.	[Reserved].
63.5(b)(2)		No	

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General provisions citation	Requirement	Applies to subpart DDD?	Explanation
63.5(b)(3)–(b)(6)	Application for Approval of Construction/Reconstruction.	Yes.	[Reserved].
63.5(c)		No	
63.5(d)		Yes.	
63.5(e)		Yes.	
63.5(f)	Approval of Construction/Reconstruction Based on State Review.	Yes.	
63.6(a)	Compliance with Standards and Maintenance Applicability.	Yes.	
63.6(b)(1)–(b)(5)	New and Reconstructed Sources Dates.	Yes.	
63.6(b)(6)	Existing Sources Dates	No	[Reserved].
63.6(b)(7)		Yes.	
63.6(c)(1)		Yes	§ 63.1180 specifies compliance dates.
63.6(c)(2) .....	.....	Yes.	
63.6(c)(3)–(c)(4) .....	.....	No	[Reserved].
63.6(c)(5) .....	.....	Yes.	
63.6(d) .....	.....	No	[Reserved].
63.6(e)(1)–(e)(2)	Operation & Maintenance Requirements.	Yes	§ 63.1187 specifies additional requirements.
63.6(e)(3)	Startup, Shutdown, and Malfunction Plan.	Yes.	
63.6(f)	Compliance with Emission Standards.	Yes.	
63.6(g)	Alternative Standard	Yes.	
63.6(h)	Compliance with Opacity/VE Standards.	No	Subpart DDD does not include VE/opacity standards.
63.6(i)(1)–(i)(14)	Extension of Compliance	Yes	§ 63.1180 specifies date.
63.6(i)(15) .....	.....	No	[Reserved].
63.6(i)(16) .....	.....	Yes.	
63.6(j)	Exemption from Compliance	Yes.	
63.7(a)	Performance Test Requirements Applicability.	Yes.	
63.7(b)	Notification	Yes.	
63.7(c)	Quality Assurance/Test Plan	Yes.	
63.7(d)	Testing Facilities	Yes.	
63.7(e)	Conduct of Tests	Yes	§ 63.1188 specifies additional requirements.
63.7(f)	Alternative Test Method	Yes.	
63.7(g)	Data Analysis	Yes.	
63.7(h)	Waiver of Tests	Yes.	
63.8(a)(1)	Monitoring Requirements Applicability.	Yes.	
63.8(a)(2) .....	.....	No	Subpart DDD does not require CMS performance specifications.
63.8(a)(3) .....	.....	No	[Reserved].
63.8(a)(4) .....	.....	Yes.	
63.8(b)	Conduct of Monitoring	Yes.	
63.8(c)(1)–(c)(3)	CMS Operation/Maintenance	Yes.	
63.8(c)(4)–(c)(8) .....	.....	No	Subpart DDD does not require COMS or CMS performance specifications.
63.8(d)	Quality Control	No	Subpart DDD does not require a CMS quality control program.
63.8(e)	CMS Performance Evaluation	No	Subpart DDD does not require CMS performance evaluations.
63.8(f)(1)–(f)(5)	Alternative Monitoring Method	Yes.	
63.8(f)(6)	Alternative to RATA Test	No	Subpart DDD does not require CEMS.
63.8(g)(1)	Data Reduction	Yes.	
63.8(g)(2) .....	.....	No	Subpart DDD does not require COMS or CEMS.
63.8(g)(3)–(g)(5) .....	.....	Yes.	
63.9(a)	Notification Requirements Applicability.	Yes.	
63.9(b)	Initial Notifications	Yes.	

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General provisions citation	Requirement	Applies to subpart DDD?	Explanation
63.9(c)	Request for Compliance Extension.	Yes.	
63.9(d)	New Source Notification for Special Compliance Requirements.	Yes.	
63.9(e)	Notification of Performance Test ..	Yes.	
63.9(f)	Notification of VE/Opacity Test ..	No	Subpart DDD does not include VE/opacity standards.
63.9(g)	Additional CMS Notifications	No	Subpart DDD does not require CMS performance evaluation, COMS, or CEMS.
63.9(h)(1)–(h)(3)	Notification of Compliance Status	Yes.	
63.9(h)(4) .....	.....	No	[Reserved].
63.9(h)(5)–(h)(6) .....	.....	Yes.	
63.9(i)	Adjustment of Deadlines	Yes.	
63.9(j)	Change in Previous Information ..	Yes.	
63.10(a)	Recordkeeping/Reporting-Applicability.	Yes.	
63.10(b)	General Recordkeeping Requirements.	Yes	§ 63.1192 includes additional requirements.
63.10(c)(1)	Additional CMS Recordkeeping ...	Yes.	
63.10(c)(2)–(c)(4) .....	.....	No	[Reserved].
63.10(c)(5) .....	.....	Yes.	
63.10(c)(6) .....	.....	No	Subpart DDD does not require CMS performance specifications.
63.10(c)(7)–(c)(8) .....	.....	Yes.	
63.10(c)(9) .....	.....	No	[Reserved].
63.10(c)(10)–(c)(13) .....	.....	Yes.	
63.10(c)(14) .....	.....	No	Subpart DDD does not require a CMS quality control program.
63.10(c)(15) .....	.....	Yes.	
63.10(d)(1)	General Reporting Requirements	Yes	Additional requirements in § 63.1193.
63.10(d)(2)	Performance Test Results	Yes.	
63.10(d)(3)	Opacity or VE Observations	No	Subpart DDD does not include VE/opacity standards.
63.10(d)(4)–(d)(5)	Progress Reports/ Startup, Shutdown, and Malfunction Reports.	Yes.	
63.10(e)(1)–(e)(2)	Additional CMS Reports	No	Subpart DDD does not require CEMS or CMS performance evaluations.
63.10(e)(3)	Excess Emissions/CMS Performance Reports.	Yes.	
63.10(e)(4)	COMS Data Reports	No	Subpart DDD does not require COMS.
63.10(f)	Recordkeeping/Reporting Waiver	Yes.	
63.11(a)	Control Device Requirements Applicability.	Yes.	
63.11(b)	Flares	No	Flares not applicable.
63.12	State Authority and Delegations ...	Yes.	
63.13	Addresses	Yes.	
63.14	Incorporation by Reference	Yes.	
63.15	Information Availability/Confidentiality.	Yes.	

APPENDIX A TO SUBPART DDD OF PART 63—FREE FORMALDEHYDE ANALYSIS OF INSULATION RESINS BY THE HYDROXYLAMINE HYDROCHLORIDE METHOD

1. Scope

The method in this appendix was specifically developed for water-soluble phenolic

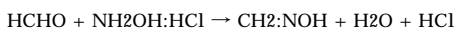
resins that have a relatively high free-formaldehyde (FF) content such as insulation resins. It may also be suitable for other phenolic resins, especially those with a high FF content.

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2. Principle

2.1 a. The basis for this method is the titration of the hydrochloric acid that is liberated when hydroxylamine hydrochloride reacts with formaldehyde to form formaldoxine:



b. Free formaldehyde in phenolic resins is present as monomeric formaldehyde, hemiformals, polyoxymethylene hemiformals, and polyoxymethylene glycols. Monomeric formaldehyde and hemiformals react rapidly with hydroxylamine hydrochloride, but the polymeric forms of formaldehyde must hydrolyze to the monomeric state before they can react. The greater the concentration of free formaldehyde in a resin, the more of that formaldehyde will be in the polymeric form. The hydrolysis of these polymers is catalyzed by hydrogen ions.

2.2 The resin sample being analyzed must contain enough free formaldehyde so that the initial reaction with hydroxylamine hydrochloride will produce sufficient hydrogen ions to catalyze the depolymerization of the polymeric formaldehyde within the time limits of the test method. The sample should contain approximately 0.3 grams (g) free formaldehyde to ensure complete reaction within 5 minutes.

3. Apparatus

- 3.1 Balance, readable to 0.01 g or better.
- 3.2 pH meter, standardized to pH 4.0 with pH 4.0 buffer and pH 7 with pH 7.0 buffer.
- 3.3 50-mL burette for 1.0 N sodium hydroxide.
- 3.4 Magnetic stirrer and stir bars.
- 3.5 250-mL beaker.
- 3.6 50-mL graduated cylinder.
- 3.7 100-mL graduated cylinder.
- 3.8 Timer.

4. Reagents

- 4.1 Standardized 1.0 N sodium hydroxide solution.
- 4.2 Hydroxylamine hydrochloride solution, 100 grams per liter, pH adjusted to 4.00.
- 4.3 Hydrochloric acid solution, 1.0 N and 0.1 N.
- 4.4 Sodium hydroxide solution, 0.1 N.
- 4.5 50/50 v/v mixture of distilled water and methyl alcohol.

5. Procedure

- 5.1 Determine the sample size as follows:

a. If the expected FF is greater than 2 percent, go to Part A in 5.1.c to determine sample size.

b. If the expected FF is less than 2 percent, go to Part B in 5.1.d to determine sample size.

c. Part A: Expected FF ≥ 2 percent.

Grams resin = 60/expected percent FF

I. The following table shows example levels:

Expected percent free formaldehyde	Sample size, grams
2	30.0
5	12.0
8	7.5
10	6.0
12	5.0
15	4.0

ii. It is very important to the accuracy of the results that the sample size be chosen correctly. If the milliliters of titrant are less than 15 mL or greater than 30 mL, reestimate the needed sample size and repeat the tests.

d. Part B: Expected FF < 2 percent

Grams resin = 30/expected percent FF

I. The following table shows example levels:

Expected percent free formaldehyde	Sample size, grams
2	15
1	30
0.5	60

ii. If the milliliters of titrant are less than 5 mL or greater than 30 mL, reestimate the needed sample size and repeat the tests.

5.2 Weigh the resin sample to the nearest 0.01 grams into a 250-mL beaker. Record sample weight.

5.3 Add 100 mL of the methanol/water mixture and stir on a magnetic stirrer. Confirm that the resin has dissolved.

5.4 Adjust the resin/solvent solution to pH 4.0, using the prestandardized pH meter, 1.0 N hydrochloric acid, 0.1 N hydrochloric acid, and 0.1 N sodium hydroxide.

5.5 Add 50 mL of the hydroxylamine hydrochloride solution, measured with a graduated cylinder. Start the timer.

5.6 Stir for 5 minutes. Titrate to pH 4.0 with standardized 1.0 N sodium hydroxide. Record the milliliters of titrant and the normality.

6. Calculations

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7. Method Precision and Accuracy

Test values should conform to the following statistical precision:

Variance = 0.005

Standard deviation = 0.07

95% Confidence Interval, for a single determination = 0.2

8. Author

This method was prepared by K.K. Tutin and M.L. Foster, Tacoma R&D Laboratory,

Georgia-Pacific Resins, Inc. (Principle written by R. R. Conner.)

9. References

9.1 GPAM 2221.2.

9.2 PR&C TM 2.035.

9.3 Project Report, Comparison of Free Formaldehyde Procedures, January 1990, K. Tutin.